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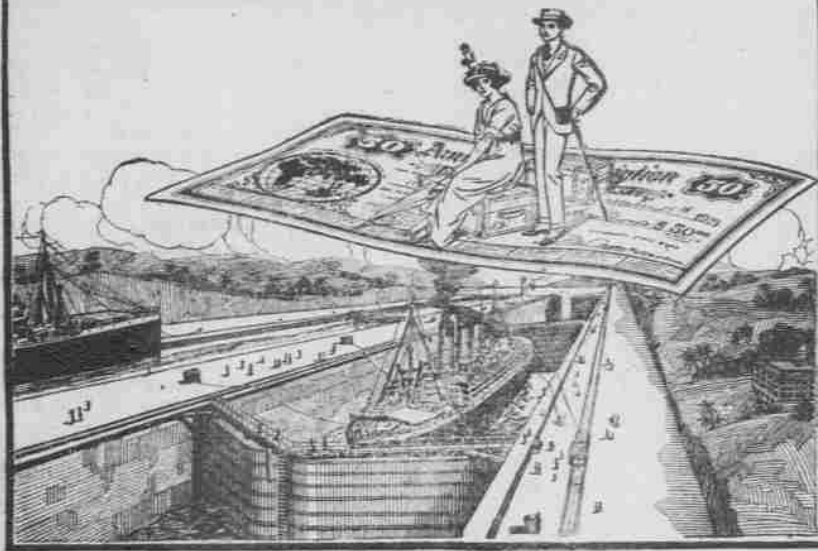
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Mrs. Roy Lenox is sick at the Hays Hospital.

G. M. Cox has a car of box apples on the track.

John Neinberger was over from Ellis Thursday.

H. A. Cowan unloaded a car of egg case fillers, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Havemann are home from Kansas City.

Carl Staab, of Catherine, visited friends in Hays, several days this week.

It is reported that Mrs. Geo. Griffith is again in the hospital at Calgary, Canada.

Mrs. Bartell is enjoying a visit from her father, whose home is in Alma, Kansas.

T. G. Gosser received a thoroughbred mare from C. W. Lamer, Monday morning.

It is reported that seven new residences, modern in every respect, will be built in Hays this spring.

Jim McGrain and Wm. Hollenbeck, of Payette, Idaho, arrived here Thursday with a car of western horses.

Mr. Bailey, one of the singers at the March Festival at the Normal, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Azel Cochran.

If you need a milk cow, see me at once.—Azel Cochran.

The Hays Music Club has a business meeting at the home of Mrs. T. M. Wood, next Tuesday afternoon at 8:00 o'clock.

Jacob Feitz, who has been in the Kansas City hospital for the past two months, is slowly improving and is expected home soon.

Words come from Meridian, Idaho, that C. A. Joslin, a former Hays boy, is rejoicing over the arrival in his home, of C. A. Joslin, Jr.

Miss Evangeline Healy, of Wallace, Kansas, is the guest of Mrs. C. W. Reeder during the Golden Belt Teachers Association.

We have some extra good, young mares for sale.—Azel Cochran.

If you want thoroughbred Rhode Island Red eggs for setting, call up 2813 G. W. Meyer's store. Price 50 cents a setting. mlw3.

Mr. Ralph Emory of Kalamazoo, Michigan, is spending this week on his Big Creek farm, the guest of his foreman and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Logan.

Mrs. Jacob Feitz is arranging to tear down her present residence on East Wilson Avenue, corner Pine, and will build a new and modern residence there this spring.

The father and mother of Mrs. Chas. King arrived here the first of the week from California, where they have been attending the great fair, for a short visit. They live in Chicago.

Miss Florence Edwards, formerly of this city, was married last week in La-Crosse to Clifford R. Elias, a young man who is railroad station agent at Eads, Colorado, on the Missouri Pacific.

Alvin Fellers shipped twenty five birds from Redville chicken farm, this week, to points as follows: Coronado, Kansas; Dona, New Mexico; New Kirk, Oklahoma, and Canton, Kansas. The birds brought good prices.

So as to be sure and get here on time and to get good seats at the entertainments, many of the teachers came in on the Thursday morning trains and found good accommodations. Up to four o'clock Prof. Shively had assigned over 200 to their rooms.

We have an extraordinary bunch of high class milk cows.—Azel Cochran.

Mrs. J. B. Cave returned Sunday from St. Margaret's Hospital, Kansas City, Kansas, where she has been for the past eleven weeks taking treatment for blood poisoning. With the exception of the loss of one finger she has entirely recovered.

If your eyes need attention, it is wisdom to consult an optometrist of experience and standing. It will save your eyes and prevent you making a bad bargain.—E. F. Sullivan, Optometrist, at Windsor Hotel, Hays, Thursday, March 18.

Miss Stradal, Superintendent of Trego county, has again called her County Institute to meet here at the Fort Hays Normal, believing the teachers get much more benefit from the studies and lectures at the Normal than they would in their little institute in Trego county.

The county superintendent this week sent out letters to all the teachers in the county explaining the Boys' and Girls' contests for the county fair in the fall. It is expected that this Boys' and Girls' Fair will become an annual event. Since the first announcements of this fair three weeks ago word has come from several localities that they intend to get behind the plan and push it.

Mike Younger got the women of Russian town much excited this week, by telling them that every man between 18 and 50 had to go to war and go next week. A Salvation Army man in uniform was going from house to house in that part of town this week, soliciting subscriptions, putting down the names of the people, and as the German women could not understand him, the report got out that he was an Army recruiting and drafting officer, and caused lots of excitement for a while among them.

Joe Bissing has just installed a new pressing machine.

George Palmer met with quite a fall this week, laming him for a while.

Wanted.—Twenty five coyote hides. Must be good. Tiltotson & King.

Leland Bell has accepted a position as freight clerk at the U. P. depot, this city.

The very latest styles of ladies' and gents' calling cards—engraved or printed, at Free Press office.

The Domestic Science Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Al Nickles, on Wednesday, March 17th.

Elmer Gates has bought the Henry Schultz lots on east Main street on block 14, J. E. Wilson addition.

Shorts \$1.20 per 100 pounds at the mill.

Our Normal had a holiday yesterday, Friday, and turned over their building for the use of the visiting teachers.

It has been a great week for farmers to come to town in their bob-sleds to get their provisions, feed and fuel.

Many of the stores around town had their windows nicely decorated with the Golden Belt Normal colors, in compliment to the visitors within our gates.

We have twenty-five resident properties in Hays, Kansas, for sale, and lots galore. Can fit a man on prices and terms.—Miller Brothers.

The big snow put a stop to many of the schools in the country for several days and may prevent lots of teachers coming to the Golden Belt meeting today.

Schlyer & Arnold have bought the old Judge Robbins house and lots on the corner of Oak and Juniata streets, and will use part of the lots to display their machinery this summer.

Bran \$1.05 per 100 pounds at the mill.

Harry Felton is having his lots cleaned up on West Second street and it is understood that he intends putting up a brick livery barn in the place of the one burned about two years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Stock entertained for last Sunday dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kirkman, Miss Leo Smith, Miss Chalk and Mrs. Wilson and daughter, Sadie, and son, Lester, of McCracken. Sampson and Ideal windmills at M. Haffamier & Son's, cheap.

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As was expected, Prof. Shively reports he had no trouble in getting plenty of accommodations for the teachers coming to the Convention this week. When it is found necessary, the people of Hays are always ready to throw open their homes to entertain visitors to our city, no matter how big the crowd.

For a good milk cow or fat hog, call phone 617, or inquire of Ed Kraus.

Each teacher in Ellis county has been sent a list of the contests and the general rules for the contests for the Boys' and Girls' County Fair. Ask your teacher about them, boys and girls, and then get busy. If your teacher didn't receive the above material write to the county superintendent at once.

If you need anything in work horses, mares, or mules, see me before you buy.—Azel Cochran.

Don't forget that on March 19 another \$10 in gold will be given to the young lady who has the most votes in the piano contest at that date. The votes count just the same on the capital prize and also on the minor prizes. You may be the lowest one, numerically, now, but a little work may make you the winner.

Mares, horses and mules for sale. Will sell on time, with approved security. 20tf. John O'Loughlin.

The recent rains and snows which amounted in all to about two and one-half inches of moisture, have put the ground in the finest possible shape for garden and field crops. It makes particularly a good start for the boys' and girls' garden, canning and crop contests for the autumn fair.

Indian Runner Ducks, Fawn and White, for sale. Winter layers. \$3.00 a trio.

Mrs. Jacob Feitz.

A man in a neighboring town, who took a city paper in preference to a country paper because he got more paper for the money, was attracted by the advertisement of a fire escape which would be forwarded on receipt of \$2. He sent the cash and in a few days received a copy of the New Testament.—Advocate Democrat.

Corn chop \$1.55 per 100 pounds at the mill.

Next Sunday morning Prof. Graves, a noted traveler, who has spent a number of years in the Orient, will fill the pulpit at the Methodist church and in the evening will give an illustrated lecture. He made his own pictures. His machine is a good one. His lecture will be on India. All are invited. Time, 7:30.

Subscription Rate to Raise.

Beginning with June 1, 1915, the subscription price of the Free Press will be \$1.50 per year. All subscriptions during the piano contest which ends April 22nd, and up to June 1st, will be received at \$1.00 per year.

This increase in the price of subscription has been contemplated for some time, and is due to the fact that everything pertaining to the publishing of a paper has gone up in price. Salaries are higher than five years ago. Paper costs more and all other expenses which enter in the building of a paper have advanced.

Many weekly papers over the state and country are raising their rates, and daily papers are being compelled to place the selling price of their publications at two cents per copy. It's simply a business proposition, and we feel that our subscribers will so take it.

Remember that during the contest and up to June 1, 1915, the paper can be had for \$1.00 per year—any number of years, after which the subscription price will be \$1.50. The publishers will spare neither pains nor expense to make the Free Press worth the money.

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H. H. S. Notes.

With a badly crippled team, the Hays boys went to Russell. Russell was in the prime of condition and Hays, without the regular forwards, went down to defeat. The fast Hays team outplayed their opponents during every stage of the game as far as floor work is concerned. Their inability to locate the basket caused the defeat. Final score 17 to 18.

High School was dismissed, Friday, on account of the Golden Belt.

The Sophomore class had another half-holiday, last Friday. The afternoon was spent at the home of Anna Meyer, making candy and having a good time.

Julia Mullen and Elsie Grass visited English IV class, Monday.

Twelve of the pupils of Miss Leahy's room are going to put on some folk dances in Elizabethan costumes for the Golden Belt.

Paul Gross has returned to school again.

The girls of the basket ball team had their pictures taken, Monday evening.

The Botany class listened to a very interesting lecture given at the Normal by Prof. Wooster, Tuesday.

The children of Miss Leahy's room are exhibiting cut-outs of animals and children for the Golden Belt.

Mr. Bear went to Russell with the basket ball boys, Tuesday. Mr. Lambert, one of the Normal students, taught in his place.

In order to avoid confusion and save time, a new arrangement has been made for passing to and from the recitation rooms.

Ludwina Kreutzer enrolled in Miss Dite's room this week.

Mrs. Petty's pupils are exhibiting some beautiful paintings and fancy work.

Wednesday morning, Mr. H. W. Oshant gave the students an interesting talk on the history of Hays.

A joint program was given Thursday morning by the Philologic and Attique societies. A special feature was the cornet solo by Mr. Seuser.

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Cotton Cake—Best feed for your milk cows. See Schlyer & Arnold.

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We have some city lots to trade or sell. Also three lots and house, two lots and house, several lots and house in Ellis, a good team of horses and also a second-hand good 40 hp. auto. See Schlyer & Arnold.

Next October some eight or a dozen boys or girls are going to be the champions of Ellis county in the following contests: Vegetable gardening; flower gardening; poultry, pig, calf, or colt raising; sewing; cooking and canning; crop raising; dairy cow; and general exhibit.

I have a brand new surrey for sale cheap, cash or on time.—Azel Cochran.

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The Postmaster General has appointed Anthony Kuhn the next postmaster at Victoria.

Geo. Benton sold four lots on West Juniata street, this week, for \$300, per lot, to a man from Russell. We presume that that means a new residence and a new family coming to live in the city.

Illustrated Lecture.

Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m. will be the second of the series of sermons, "The Man Who Said He Would—and Then Could Not." This will be illustrated by beautiful stereopticon pictures. Some of the hymns will be sung from the screen. A short, bright, twenty minute song service will precede the sermon. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. At 11:00 a. m. the pastor has an unusually tremendous message to bring; the subject is "Seeking a Bride." Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. The subject is "The Sermon on the Mount." All are invited to our services.

C. E. Kircher, Pastor.

E. F. Sullivan

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Spring Sewing Time.

Hats and frocks for the bright April and May days, which will be here before we realize the flight of time, are described fetching for women readers of the Free Press by Mrs. Bottomley, the fashion authority. This is profitable reading for the women who can sew, and the days for spring sewing are at hand. Take heed and act.

Citizens' City Caucus.

The citizens of Hays are requested to meet in the Court House on Tuesday, March 16, 1915, at 7:30 p. m. for the purpose of nominating candidates on the Citizens' Ticket for Mayor, Police Judge, City Treasurer, three members of the Board of Education, one from each ward, a Central committee and such other business as may come before the meeting. Fred Schwallier, Chairman of City Committee.

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